





# SOLID Sterling Silver!

We have just opened a very remarkable line of

## SOLID SILVER GOODS,

Comprising in part

**Tea Spoons, Table Spoons,  
After Dinner Coffee Spoons,  
Table Forks, Ice Cream Spoons,  
Olive Spoons, Oyster Forks,  
Sugar Spoons, Butter Knives,  
Berry Spoons, Waffle Knives,  
Cheese Knives, Jelly Knives,  
Sugar Sifters,  
Child's Sets of Knife,  
Fork and Spoon,  
Christening Sets,  
Pap Bowls, Cups,**

AND OTHER

## FINEST DISPLAY

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## SOLID SILVER FANCY PIECES

WE HAVE EVER SHOWN.

All of these goods are of the Celestial

### Gorham Solid Silver Co's Manufacture.

SEE THESE GOODS EARLY.

They will help you to decide about

### WEDDING AND CHRISTMAS PRESENTS!

Respectfully,

O. E. CURTIS & CO.,  
LEADING JEWELERS.

NOV. 20, 1882.

## SPECIAL CHEAP SALE

— OF —

## BLACK SILKS

Velvets, Plushes, Fine, Medium and Cheap  
Dress Goods.

Commencing Monday Morning, Nov. 20th

— ON —

SHALL MAKE PRICES THAT WILL SELL THE GOODS.

REMEMBER THE PLACE.

20 E. Main St., Powers' Block.  
S. G. HATCH & BRO.

Nov. 20, 1882.

## NEW FALL STOCK.

ABEL & LOCKE

ARE SELLING BETTER

## BRUSSELS & INGRAIN CARPETS

THAN YOU EVER SAW FOR THE MONEY.

Their Store is Full of Novelties in the CARPET,  
WALL-PAPER and CURTAIN line.

NOV. 20, 1882.

## THE BIG SHOE STORE,

13 EAST MAIN ST. THROUGH TO 9 WATER ST.

## Wholesale and Retail Boots & Shoes.

LARGEST STOCK. LOWEST PRICES. BEST GOODS.

L. L. FERRISS & CO., DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

NOV. 20, 1882.

## ATTENTION, ALL!

D. DUSTMAN,

## FURNITURE DEALER

On the North Side of the City Park, is giving the

## BEST FURNITURE

For the Least Money of Any House in Decatur.

This Stock is All New. No Second-hand in Stock. Latest Styles Received Daily.

Call and see him, and you cannot fail to be pleased with his goods and prices.

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## The Daily Republican.

TERMS.

Per week, payable to Carrier, 15 Cts.  
One year, in advance, ..... \$7.00  
Six Months, " ..... 3.50  
Three Months, " ..... 2.75

FRIDAY EVENING, NOV. 1, 1882.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

25 CENTS. OF SILVER PLATED CUTLERY.  
E. D. BAERTZOWSKY & CO'S.  
CATERVILLE has the best feed and market. P. O. Block. 23rd St.

Drama tonight.

GOOD MORNING!

THE Berlin Welly troupe is at the St. Nicholas.

The city council will meet in regular December session next Monday night.

The Knights of Pythias were very glad last night.

The Saline Society will not meet at the high school building this evening.

A number of youth spent Thanksgiving Day in roller-skates in the Philharmonic Hall.

Take your broken wagons to David P. Hammon and have them repaired in a workmanlike manner.

Show in your seats for the Pat Rooney entertainment at the opera-house Tuesday evening next.

Send small sorts of household novelties at Abel & Lock's carpet house.

A car party will be given at Belmont tonight. A number of Deaderick couples will attend.

The Masons will soon commence holding the new Masonic Temple.

Boys' all wool Flannel Bicycle Shirts at B. STEPHENS. Nov. 20 off.

Turpather got through with their work at the John Ulrich building on Wednesday.

Even the employees of the New Netherland, New York, were appointed Thanksgiving Day in 1621, a few days previous to which men had been sent out to prepare game food! In July, 1623, a day of fasting and prayer was appointed on account of drought. Rain came abundantly while they were praying and the government appointed a day of thanksgiving which was observed with religious solemnity. In 1623 a similar change in fast day into Thanksgiving was made on the arrival of supplies from England. Afterward they were held on various occasions such as the arrival of provisions and new colonists. About 1626 became an annual custom in New England in autumn after the gathering of the harvest. Occasional thanksgivings were appointed by the Dutch governors of the New Netherland, New York, was then called in 1644, 1645, 1653 and 1664, and by the English governors in 1667 and 1675. During the revolution, Congress recommended a day of thanksgiving. There was no national appointment from 1783 to 1789, when President Washington, by request of Congress, recommended a day of Thanksgiving for the adoption of the constitution. He also issued a similar proclamation in 1785, on account of the impression of an armistice. President Madison in April, 1815, recommended a day of thanksgiving for peace. It has been an annual festival in New York since 1817, but in most of the other states it was not adopted until much later date. In 1829 Thanksgiving proclamations were issued in the United States. During the same period Thanksgiving Day was held on different days for veterans of the Civil War, the Union and the Confederacy. Thanksgiving Day of the park, fitting at about 500 glass bell. The price charged were not competitive because of want of competition. However, the day was pleasantly and profitably passed in general shooting, and at night there was more shooting in the hall over Stone's drug store.

EXHIBITIONISTS STUNNERS.

The day of thanks in Decatur was generally observed. Nearly all of the business houses and factories were closed. The weather was fine, and there was enough of the beautiful on the ground to remind the people that winter is really at hand. The usual Union Thanksgiving service was held at 10:30 a.m. in the services taking place at the Presbyterian church in the presence of a large congregation of Christian people. Services began with singing by the select choir, led by Prof. Fazek, followed by scriptural reading by Rev. Mrs. Groves of St. Paul's Chapel, and prayer by Rev. H. W. Troubridge of the United Brethren church. The anniversary sermon of Christian Thanksgiving was delivered by Rev. J. V. Dimmell of the First M. E. church. The reverend gentleman dressed himself in the early history of the Puritans and spoke at length of their struggles after landing upon Plymouth Rock. The discourse touched upon the many evidences of a divinity of Christian religion, salvation, prosperity and the rapid strides in intelligence. The speaker spoke briefly of National affairs politically and closed with a beautiful sermon. The closing prayer was made by Rev. W. H. Preddy of the Presbyterian church, who so pronounced the benediction. The services and hymns sung by the choirs were effectively given and added much to the anniversary services.

GOOD MORNING!

Always reliable Schroeder's celebrated Bohemian cigars.

CARD ORNAMENTS AT WEAR BROS.

Nov. 28 down.

An elegant line of fancy cutlery houseware now down. Wear Bros.

Or. Monday next Sherman Smith will have a hearing in Justice Curtis' court on a charge of assault and battery, instigated by William Crawford, a boy.

Get fresh country butter and delicate eggs at Neidermyer's, on the Main.

Winter strips to keep out the cold, door mats, rugs, etc., in great variety at Abel & Lock's.

Have our line of children's cloaks and headsets reserved at Mrs. K. Fingert's, 28 East Main street.

Nov. 28 off.

CONFECTIONERY, Candy Boxes and Christmas Ornaments at Wear Bros.

Nov. 28, 1882.

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speculations, can do so by oper-  
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be paid for every month, still less  
than one per cent, interest, and  
less than one per cent, for delay, and  
less than one per cent, and a portion of a  
host of those wonderful Electric Batteries,  
which never fail, and that for the  
trifling sum of fifty cents. Tribune, sold  
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\$50 STOCKS

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